

21775. Adulteration of frozen whitefish. U. S. v. 34 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 37496. Sample Nos. 12442-M, 12445-M.)

LIBEL FILED: December 7, 1954, Eastern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 10, 1954, by Canadian Fish Producers, Ltd., from Winnipeg, Canada.

PRODUCT: 34 boxes, each containing 116 pounds of frozen whitefish at Brooklyn, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of parasitic worms.

DISPOSITION: January 4, 1955. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21776. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. Walter F. Lubkin (Coastal Seafoods Co.). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$200. (F. D. C. No. 36662. Sample Nos. 50587-L to 50590-L, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 17, 1954, Eastern District of South Carolina, against Walter F. Lubkin, trading as the Coastal Seafoods Co., Beaufort, S. C.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 25 and 29, 1954, from the State of South Carolina into the State of New York.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Coastal Seafoods Co. * * * Jumbo [or "Special"] Crab Meat 1 Lb. Net Beaufort, S. C."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of *E. coli* of fecal origin, insects, insect fragments, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 17, 1955. The defendant having entered a plea of nolo contendere, the court imposed a fine of \$200.

21777. Adulteration of crabmeat. U. S. v. Harry E. Olcott (Fulton Fish Co.) Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$300. (F. D. C. No. 35783. Sample Nos. 72292-L, 72293-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: September 17, 1954, Southern District of Florida, against Harry E. Olcott, trading as the Fulton Fish Co., Jacksonville, Fla.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 4, 1953, from the State of Florida into the District of Columbia.

LABEL, IN PART: "Atlantic Pride Seafoods * * * Crab Meat * * * Jacksonville, Fla."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by the reason of the presence of *E. coli* of fecal origin; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: September 17, 1954. The defendant having entered a plea of nolo contendere, the court fined him \$300.